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Application No.: 10/560,764

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For: PROCESS FOR PREPARING (2s)-3-(4-{2-  
[AMINO]-2-OXOETHOXY}PHENYL)-2-  
ETHOXYPROPANOIC ACID DERIVATIVES

Examiner: Not Yet Assigned

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This application is a 371 of PCT/SE04/00966 06/16/2004

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Process for preparing (2s)-3-(4-{2-[amino]-2-oxoethoxy}phenyl)-2-ethoxypropanoic acid derivatives

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**PROCESSES FOR PREPARING (2S)-3-(4-(2-[AMINO]-2-OXOETHOXY)PHENYL)-2-ETHOXYPROPANOIC ACID DERIVATIVES**

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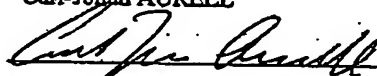
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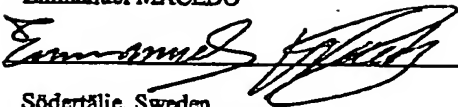
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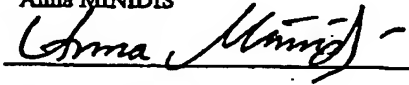
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